

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

**This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:**

**LISTING OF CLAIMS:**

Claims 1-10 (canceled)

11. (currently amended): A magnetic tape cartridge comprising;

a cartridge case composed of a first half and a second half;

an opening provided on one side wall of said cartridge case, said opening used for tape drawing;

a slide door slidably supported by guide parts disposed on said first half and said second half; respectively, along said one side wall, and said slide door is used for achieving a shutting-and-opening operation of said opening;

a spring member for impelling said slide door to a shutting direction side, and an end part in an opening direction side of said spring member serving as a supported part; and

a spring supporting part for retaining said supported part, said spring ~~support~~ supporting part disposed near said guide part of said first half,

wherein said spring supporting part is a slit formed on a rib of said first half, said slit has a slope at the opening direction side thereof, and said slope guides said end part in the opening direction side of said spring member to said slit.

12. (new) The magnetic tape cartridge according to claim 11, wherein said first half is an upper half of the magnetic tape cartridge.

13. (new) A magnetic tape cartridge comprising;  
a cartridge case comprising an upper half and a lower half;  
a slide door slidably supported by said upper half and said lower half, respectively, along one side wall;  
a spring member for impelling said slide door from an opening direction side to a shutting direction side of said magnetic tape cartridge;  
a supported part comprising an end part of said spring member which is disposed at said opening direction side; and  
a spring supporting part for retaining said supported part, said spring supporting part formed as a slit formed on a rib of said upper half, said slit having a slope at said opening direction side thereof, and said slope guides said end part of said spring member to said slit.